

## Message Text

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TAGS: PFOR, CH, US

SUBJECT: CONDOLENCE MESSAGE ON THE DEATH OF CHU TE

1. PLEASE TRANSMIT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE  
SECRETARY TO FOREIGN MINISTER CH'IAO KUAN-HUA (TEXT OF  
PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE SENT SEPTTEL).

BEGIN TEXT:

HIS EXCELLENCY

CH'IAO KUAN-HUA

MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

PEKING

DEAR MR. MINISTER:

PLEASE ACCEPT MY CONDOLENCES ON THE DEATH OF CHU TE,  
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THE CHAIRMAN OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL

PEOPLE'S CONGRESS, WHO WAS ONE OF CHINA'S LEADING  
MILITARY FIGURES AND A SENIOR STATESMAN OF THE PEOPLE'S  
REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

SINCERELY,

HENRY A. KISSINGER

END TEXT

2. WE DO NOT PLAN TO RELEASE TEXT BUT HAVE NO OBJECTION  
IF CHINESE WISH TO DO SO.

3. WE ARE ALSO PROVIDING THE TEXT OF THE MESSAGE TO  
PRCLO.

ROBINSON

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